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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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IN THE MATTER OF:

DOCKET NO. S-03424A-00-0000

GLOBAL HARVEST CORP.

CHAIRMAN

An Arizona corporation

4800 N. Scottsdale Rd., Suite 2600

Scottsdale, AZ 85251

**DAVID PATTEN** An individual

7333 E. Chaparral Rd. Scottsdale, AZ 85250

ALBERT TABAH

An individual

6915 E. Orange Blossom Lane

Scottsdale, AZ 85253,

Respondents.

## PROCEDURAL ORDER

## BY THE COMMISSION:

On September 7, 2000, the Securities Division ("Division") of the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") filed a Temporary Order to Cease and Desist ("T.O.") and a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing ("Notice") against Global Harvest Corp. ("GHC") David Patten and Albert Tabah, (collectively the "Respondents") in which the Division alleged multiple violations of the Arizona Securities Act ("Act") in connection with the offer and sale of securities in the form of investment contracts or commodity investment contracts. As a result of the T.O., the Respondents were immediately ordered to cease and desist from violating the Securities Act of Arizona.

The Respondents were all duly served with copies of the Notice.

On September 26, 2000, Respondents GHC, Mr. Pattern and Mr. Tabah filed a request for hearing.

On October 2, 2000, by Procedural Order, a pre-hearing was scheduled for October 11, 2000, but the Procedural Order mailed to Respondents' counsel was returned undelivered and the proceeding was rescheduled for October 17, 2000.

On October 17, 2000, the pre-hearing conference was held to address the issues raised in the T.O., the Notice, and the presentation of evidence. Counsel for the Respondents and the Division were present and advised the presiding Administrative Law Judge that the Respondents had initiated an action in the United States District Court for the District of Arizona for injunctive relief against the Commission's action herein and that oral arguments are scheduled for October 25, 2000 on Respondents' request for a preliminary injunction. The Division has filed a Motion to Dismiss the Respondents' court action, and is awaiting a ruling on its motion at this time.

Accordingly, an additional pre-hearing conference should be held to address the status of these proceedings prior to the commencement of a hearing.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that a pre-hearing conference shall be held on November 9, 2000, at 9:30 a.m., at the Commission's offices, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that counsel for the parties shall also reserve November 15 and November 16, 2000 for purposes of hearing if, at the pre-hearing conference or subsequent thereto, it is determined that the federal court has not ruled favorably for the Respondents on their action.

DATED this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of October, 2000.

MARC E. STERN

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

Copies of the foregoing mailed/delivered this \_\_\_\_\_ day of October, 2000 to:

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